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## **IF's TSgt. Griglock selected nominee for TOYA award** **by Fran Crumb, Information Directorate**

ROME, N.Y. — TSgt. David A. Griglock of the Air Force Research Laboratory (AFRL) Information Directorate has been selected as the AFRL nominee for the Ten Outstanding Young Americans (TOYA) Award sponsored annually by the U.S. Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Griglock, an information craftsman in the directorate's Special Projects Office, will now be considered by the Air Force Materiel Command for nomination to the award that focuses on a line in the Jaycee Creed that states: "service to humanity is the best work of life." The award is restricted to young Americans ages 21 to 39.

A native of Pittston, Pa., Griglock was cited for his numerous public service activities, which range from packing food packages for the less fortunate and serving as mentor and judge at local science fairs to honoring veterans as a member of the Air Force Honor Guard. The Rome Chapter of the American Red Cross, the Rome Board of Education, the American Cancer Society and the Rome Enlisted Association have recognized his volunteer efforts.

Griglock enlisted in the Air Force in January 1985 and has been assigned to the AFRL Rome Research Site since March 1997. He holds an associate's degree in information resource management from the Community College of the Air Force and is currently pursuing a bachelor of science degree in information technology in networks and telecommunications through the University of Phoenix distance learning program. @